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## **Space & Naval Warfare Systems Center Awards Contract**

SAN DIEGO -- BBN Systems and Technologies, Arlington, Va., is being awarded a \$8,768,234 research and development contract with cost plus fixed fee pricing for the planning and conduct of advanced maritime warfare systems demonstrations in critical littoral regions. The contractor will develop, implement and demonstrate advanced sonar technologies at sea aboard operational Navy and research platforms in order to rapidly transition advanced sonar research technology to the Navy and to integrate it into existing capabilities. The period of performance is from June 24, 1997 through July 1, 2001. The contract will initially be obligated with Research Development, Test & Evaluation funds of \$508,452.00 that will not expire at the end of the current fiscal year. This contract was competitively procured through a Broad Agency Announcement issued by Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (BAA #94-19), and published in the Commerce Business Daily February 16, 1994. Contract source selection was performed by DARPA. Work will be performed in Arlington, Va., (60%); New London, Conn., (20%); and Cambridge, Mass., (20%). The Naval Command, Control and Ocean Surveillance Center, Research Development, Test & Evaluation Division, San Diego is the contracting activity (N66001-97-C-8606).

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